Section 225.030. City Lake Regulations

A. It shall be unlawful for any person to take fish out of the Lawson City Lake by means of hook, line, net, gig or any other means without a State fishing permit.

Then and only then may a person take fish from the Lawson City Lake by means set forth by the Department of Conservation.

B. No person shall operate a motorboat in the Lawson City Lake by means of a gasoline powered motor. Only electric motors are permitted.

C. Head and tail must remain attached to all black bass while on the area or until checked by an agent of the Conservation Commission. Fishing is permitted from January first (1st) to December thirty-first (31st). Pole and line fishing only, with not more than three (3) poles per person. Area closed from 10:00 P.M. to 4:00 A.M. daily except to persons actively pole or line fishing or camping in designated areas. Bullfrogs and green frogs may be taken according to Statewide seasons and limits but only by pole and line, hand, handnet, longbow or gig. Seining or trapping live bait is prohibited. Hunting or shooting, swimming, digging, fireworks and unattended fires are not allowed. Fires are permitted within self-contained grills or fire pits in designated areas. Furbearers may be trapped only under special permit. Horseback riding, cutting or removal of vegetation (except mushrooms, edible wild greens and berries or other fruits) and the harvest of nuts is prohibited except by special authorization. Picnicking is allowed. No littering is allowed.

D. It shall be unlawful for any motorized vehicle including all terrain vehicles, motorcycles or any vehicle that is motorized to drive on any walking trail on City property. It will further be unlawful for any motorized vehicle, including all terrain vehicles, motorcycles or any vehicle that is motorized, to drive off any roadway on any City park or City property.

E. Any person or persons violating the provisions of this Section shall be found guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00).